



May '11 PROGRAMS

BURNHAM LIBRARY

898 Main Street
Colchester, VT 05446
<http://colchestervt.gov/Library>

Programs for Adults: 879-7576
Youth & Children: 878-0313
TDD Relay: 1-800-253-0191

FOR ADULTS

EVENING BOOK CLUB – Wednesday, May 11th 6:45-8:00 p.m.

This lively group of readers gathers the first Wednesday of each month in the Burnham Room to discuss a monthly reading. May's read will be **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot**. Join us! Call the library at 879-7576.

DROP IN GENTLE HATHA YOGA- Tuesdays from 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Bring a mat and enjoy poses for mindful stretching and relaxation. A registered nurse of over 30 years, instructor Betty Molnar is working on a Hatha Yoga certification from the Temple of Kriya Yoga in Chicago. Beginners and intermediates welcome.

DAYTIME BOOK & MOVIE CLUB – 3rd Tuesday of the month from 1-2:30 p.m.

The Book & Movie Club alternates reading books and watching films. May's read will be **Water for Elephants by Sara Gruen**. Join this discussion with your neighbors by calling the library at 879-7576.

BURNHAM KNITTERS – Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m. Knitters stitch at the library on third and fourth Wednesdays. Beginners welcome! On most other Wednesdays, knitters meet at the Colchester Meeting House.

ART EXHIBIT- May 5th- June 3rd

Essex Art League will be displaying many of their works at the Burnham Memorial Library. Please come by!

FOR YOUNG ADULTS

YA ADVISORY BOARD- Monday, May 2nd at 5 p.m.

Help make the library a destination for people your age. Young adults in grades 6-12 can join the fabulous people on the library's Young Adult Advisory Board.

WRITE NOW! - Monday, May 2nd at 6:30 p.m.

Get the inspiration to start writing that poem or book that will someday be your bestseller. If you're in grades 6-12 and you want to join a writing group, this is it. Call 878-0313 to sign up.

YA FILM CREW – 3rd Monday of the month, May 16th at 6:30 p.m.

Join our video adventures and learn the ins and outs of videography with real filming equipment from LCATV. Call 878-0313 to get in on the action. For young adults grades 6-12.

INTERGENERATIONAL BOOK DISCUSSION: Monday, May 23rd 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Eat something sweet and discuss a great book at this "read-and-rant." Grade 6 - adult. Sign up at 878-0313 and stop by the library to borrow a book. May's read will be **Killer Pizza by Greg Taylor**.

Wii for TEENS! – May 27th 3-4:30 p.m.

Come and show off your guitar hero skills or awesome dance moves! Library now has Wii for your active, gaming fun!

FOR CHILDREN

DCF BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP – Every first Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm.

In May, we will meet on the 2nd Wednesday, May 11, due to change in library schedule.

Join other kids aged 8 to 11 and voice your likes and dislikes about Dorothy Canfield Fischer Award books. Stop by the youth desk downstairs and pick up a list of titles. May's read will be **Mockingbird by Kathryn Erskine**.

On June 1, we will discuss **Dark Life by Kat Falls**. Join us! Call the library 878-0313 to sign up!

PRESCHOOL STORYTIMES – Mondays & Thursdays from 10:00–10:45 a.m. - through May 23.

Preschoolers (ages 3-5 years) enjoy stories, rhymes, songs and a fun craft activity each week! Please call 878-0313 to sign up.

TODDLER STORYTIME – Tuesdays 10:00–10:30 a.m.- through May 17. Toddlers (ages 18-35 months) listen to stories, do fingerplays, and sing songs – and then end with a healthy snack provided by one of the parents. Please call 878-0313 to sign up.

MUSIC FOR PRESCHOOLERS – Every Wednesday from 12:30–1 p.m. (Colchester Meeting House)

Raphael plays different instruments and emphasizes good fun, taking turns, and motor skills. Best for ages 3-5. No signup needed.

PAJAMA STORYTIME – Wednesday May 18th at 6:30 p.m.

Little ones of all ages cuddle up in pajamas and listen to bedtime stories. We'll serve the cookies and milk! No signup required.

SATURDAY STORIES – 10:00–10:30 a.m. every Saturday For children of all ages. No signup required.

SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR MAY-

Library open 9-5 p.m.-Wednesday, May 4.

Delayed opening- Tuesday, May 17 (Staff meeting. Library will open at 10 a.m.)

Closed all day- Tuesday, May 24 (Vermont Library Association Conference)

Closed all day- Monday, May 30 (Memorial Day Holiday)